

June 15, 1961

Mr. R. W. Jensen
Box 58
Mayfield, Utah

12-Mile Creek

Dear Mr. Jensen:

Reference is made to your letter of June 6, 1961, in which you state that your father Michael Jensen built a ditch and first used water from 12-Mile Creek some 80 years ago, and that such water has been used continuously since that time except for the past several years.

No record of such use is on file here. The only place where the name Michael Jensen appears in our records is in the Cox Decree, Page 173. Mr. Jensen is shown as owning 15 shares of water under the Twin Lakes Reservoir Company, which gets its water from Birch Creek.

It would appear that you may have received water under an allotment made to one of the irrigation companies receiving water from 12-Mile Creek. Perhaps you can check with the company serving water in your area and find out what was considered the basis for your right.

We are sorry that we cannot seem to be of further assistance. However, without additional information, we can only assume that no right has been established for your usage.

Very truly yours,

Wayne D. Criddle,
State Engineer

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